

WELCOME! We are pleased to have you worship with us today! Please join us in the Fellowship Hall for coffee and snacks immediately following the service.

FLOWERS: Celebrate life, recognize a birthday or anniversary, memorialize a loved one or give to the glory of God with a bouquet for the altar on Sunday. Contact the Church Secretary at 989-354-7522 or email Secretary@RLCA.us to get details on ordering and to reserve your Sunday.

CONGREGATIONAL COUNCIL MEETING: The next council meeting will be held on Tuesday, March 14, 2023, at 5:30 pm.

RLCA – January/February Monthly Service Activity – Community Service -
Resurrection Lutheran presents our gifts this month, that the Lord has provided us in abundance, to St. Vincent's Food Pantry. This organization does a brilliant job of assisting area families in great need of the basics.... food for their family. We are blessed to be part of this solution. Non-perishable items will be collected. All paper products, canned fruits & vegetables, family size mac n/ cheese, complete meal boxes, spaghetti meals, cereals...be creative. What are you having for meals today?

Offering Plate –For your convenience the Offering Plate is located in the back of the Sanctuary. Thank you for all you give.



First SUNDAY IN LENT

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"But he answered, 'It is written, 'One does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God.'"

Welcome and Announcements

Praise Singing

"Forty Days and Forty Nights"
Prayer
"Above All"

Scripture Lessons

Genesis 3: 1-21
Psalm 32: 1-7
Romans 5: 12-19
"Create In Me a Clean Heart"
Matthew 4: 1-11

Sermon/Message

Pastor Doug Lopez

Hymn of the Day

"Lord I Need You"

Apostles Creed

Prayers of the Church

Confession and forgiveness

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

Communion

"Just As I Am"

Benediction

"Savior, Again to Your Dear Name We Raise"

Closing Hymn

"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"

This Week at RLCA

Sunday, February 26.....9:00 am Worship Service
Monday, February 27.....11:30 am– 3:30 pm Church Office Open
5:30 pm – Feeding Kids Pack TriPoint
Wednesday, March 1.....11:30 am – 3:30 pm Church Office Open
5:30 pm Youth Group Dinner & Lessons
Friday, March 3.....11:30 am– 2:30 pm Church Office Open
Sunday, March 5.....9:00 am Worship Service

PASTORAL MESSAGES: Pastor Doug's weekly message can be found on the RLCA website under "Pastoral Messages".

STAFF CONTACT INFORMATION:

RLCA Secretary - Sherry Anderson – secretary@rlca.us - 989-354-7522
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GENERAL FUND OFFERINGS February 13 – February 19: \$1,610,30

FEEDING KIDS MINISTRY February 13 – February 19: \$155.00

ATTENDANCE February 19 - 46 Church – 4 Streaming

PRAYERS: We remember in prayer Greg Altman, Judy McCourt, Linda Sansom, Cathy Carpenter, Helen Johnson, Arlie Prevost, Bill Sansom, Brian Neiman, Carol Smart, JD Miller, Jenny Spigelmyre, Justin Wilcox, Leonard "Keith" Peterson, Lori Muszynski, Marlene Bartz, Mike Chadkowicz, Rachel Sansom, Tom Lavoie, Rick Demarr, Sandi Skaluba, Stacey Elswick, Mary Zitlau and Steve Benedict. Pray for the following: all those who serve in the military, the children who are receiving food from FKM, incarcerated individuals, and individuals who are dealing with addictions and emotional health problems. May our Lord Jesus Christ be with all these people today and always.

PRAYER CHAIN: Prayer is powerful and can be a tremendous help for those in need. If you have a prayer request, or if you are interested in being a member of our prayer chain, please contact Linda Sansom at 989-657-5060 or email at Linda199698@yahoo.com. All your prayer requests will be kept in confidence among those in the prayer chain.

BIRTHDAYS Happy Birthday to you! May God continue to shower you with the blessings you truly deserve Rebecca Wojciechowski and Joanne Gallagher.

FOR STUDY AT HOME: The scripture readings for next Sunday are Genesis 12: 1-9, Psalm 121, Romans 4: 1-8, 13-17 and John 3: 1-17.



Mission Statement

Help people discover God, grow faith, and find their purpose to make a difference.

Doug Lopez – Pastor
Al Moe - Assisting Minister
Dalair Dones - Reader
Greg and Linda LaHaie - Greeters
Greg and Linda LaHaie – Security
Sueelyn Bartz, John Knapp, Jeremy Smith– Music
Kevin Prevost, Jay Walterreit - Audio/Visual
Jamie Treinen - Fellowship

Vision Statement

Know – where people encounter God in a deep and personal way.

Grow – Where people grow into Christians who reflect Jesus.

Go – where we reach out beyond our walls to connect people with Jesus Christ locally and beyond.

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